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## THE LATE DR. J. G. HOLLAND'S OPINION.

**A Physician Climbing the Editor-  
ial Stairs.**  
The columns of the newspapers ap-  
pear to be flooded with proprietary  
medicine advertisements. As we cast  
our eye over them, it brings to mind  
an article that was published by the  
late Dr. Holland in *Seu-Week's* *Mon-  
day*. He says: "Nevertheless, it is a  
fact that many of the best proprietary  
medicines of the day were more suc-  
cessful than many physicians, and  
most of them, it should be remem-  
bered, were at first discovered or used in  
actual medical practice. When, how-  
ever, any showed person, knowing  
their virtue, and foreseeing their  
popularity, secured and advertised  
them, the public opinion of them was  
lost. It is not this absurd? This great  
man appreciated the real merits of  
popular remedies, and the absurdity  
of those that deceived them because  
public attention was called to the ar-  
ticle and the evidence of their cure.  
If the most noted physician should  
announce that he had made a study  
of any certain organ or disease of the  
body, or make his sign larger than  
the code size, though he may have  
practised medicine and been a leader  
in all medical councils, notwithstanding  
all this, if he should presume to  
advertise and decline to give his dis-  
covery to the public, he would be  
pronounced a quack and a humbug,  
although he may have spent his en-  
tire life and all his available funds in  
perfecting his investigations. Again  
we say, "absurd."

If an ulcer is found upon one's arm  
and is cured by some dear soul of a  
grandmother, outside of the code, it  
will be pronounced by the medical  
profession an ulcer of little impor-  
tance. But if treated under the code,  
causing sleepless nights for a month,  
with the scientific treatment, viz.,  
plasters, washes, dressings, with mor-  
phine, arsenic and other vile substan-  
ces, given to prevent blood poisoning or  
deadly pain, and yet the ulcer be-  
comes malignant, and amputation is  
made necessary at last, to save life,  
yet all done according to the "isms"  
of the medical code, this is much  
more gratifying to the medical pro-  
fession, and adds more dignity to that  
distinguished order than to be cured  
by the dear old grandmother's remedy.

This appears like a severe arrange-  
ment, yet we believe that it expresses  
the true standing of the medical pro-  
fession in regard to the discovery of  
cures outside of their special "isms."  
One of the most perplexing things of  
the day is the popularity of certain  
remedies, especially Warner's safe  
cure, which is sold for sale every-  
where. The physician of the highest  
standing is ready to concede its merits  
and sustain the theories, the propie-  
tories have made—that is, that it be-  
fits in most of the ailments of the  
man system because it assists in put-  
ting the kidneys in proper condition,  
thereby aiding in throwing off the  
impurities of the blood, while others  
with less honesty and experience de-  
ride, and are willing to see their pa-  
tients die scientifically, and according  
to the code, rather than have him  
cured by this great remedy. Yet we  
notice that the popularity of the me-  
dicine continues to grow year by year.  
The discoverer comes boldly before  
the people with his merits, and pro-  
claims them from door to door in our  
opinion much more honorably than  
the physician who, to secure a pa-  
tient from some catastrophe,  
and is permitted to set a bone of  
an arm or a finger, which he does  
with great dignity, yet very soon af-  
ter takes the liberty to climb the edi-  
tor's back stairs at 2 o'clock in the  
morning to have it announced in the  
morning paper that "Dr. So-and-so  
was in attendance," and thus secures  
for his benefit a beautiful and free  
advertisement. We shall leave it to  
our readers to say which is the wisest  
and most honorable.

**How it Works.**  
[Courier-Journal April 15th.]  
Judge Deady in Oregon supple-  
ments the decision of the Railroad  
Commissioners, and shows how it  
will be possible for the separate lines  
composing a great system of trans-  
portation to evade the interstate com-  
merce law. It is in effect, to resolve  
itself into its original elements, and  
through exchange of business, not to  
assume responsibility for carriage or  
charges beyond the actual limits of  
each road in the combination. In  
other words, return to the old ways  
of doing business, when at every ship-  
ping point freight brokers, commis-  
sion merchants and other middle men  
were necessary.

In the South a question will be  
made as to the third section, which  
is in fact the civil rights law in an-  
other shape. This section declares  
that no person shall be subject to un-  
due prejudice, but that all shall have  
the same service and the same accom-  
modations. An effort will now be  
made for the application of this prin-  
ciple to the case of a colored man put  
off a train on the Western and Atlan-  
tic railroad at Dalton. He held a  
first-class ticket, but was first or-  
dered into one car in preference to another.  
We have already commented on the  
disaffection in Boston and Philadel-  
phia, and at almost all points in  
the East. All that keeps this dis-  
affection from becoming an uproar is  
the recent ruling of the Commis-  
sion, which leads to the belief that  
the most obnoxious and dangerous  
provisions of the bill are not to be  
rigidly applied.  
Toledo, too begins to realize that  
all things are not what they seem.  
Its merchants were clamorous for the  
passage of the law, and now none are  
so clamorous to have it repealed.  
A committee of the Produce Ex-  
change of Toledo was appointed to  
consider the operations of the law,  
and they condemn it unequivocally,  
"declaring the law has no friends  
among the train men, though Toledo  
has an elevator capacity of 7,000,000  
bushels. Toledo is very antagonistic  
to it in its present form." The Presi-  
dent of the Produce Exchange says:  
"Taking it for granted that the pub-  
lic has a fair conception of the amount  
of work the Commission will be asked  
to perform, has the public calcu-

lated the proportions of a force that  
can handle this vast volume? Com-  
missioner Pink employs 100 clerks to  
keep straight the percentages of the  
Eastern trunk-line pool. This force  
had nothing to do in comparison with  
the Commissioner's work. The job  
is bigger than was contemplated, ex-  
cept by those who engineered the law  
and saw that it was necessary to gag  
public clamor in some way. The law  
is a railroad measure. It may injure  
the great business centers, and it may,  
as it stands, not benefit the country  
at large, but the railroads do not cal-  
culate to be hurt by it."

Instead of breaking the coal combi-  
nations, the law is consolidating  
them, and closing many of the mines  
run by the small operators. A dis-  
patch from Columbus says: "The  
railroad officers can give no rates on  
connecting lines, and the result is the  
closing up of a number of mines on  
the Rock Valley road. As it has  
asked for an increase price agreed  
upon for the summer months before  
the passage of the interstate law." So  
it seems that the law is in conflict  
with the section of the Constitution  
prohibiting the passage of any act  
impairing the force of contracts.

In a few words, no law ever be-  
came in so short a time open to so  
many serious if not fatal objections.  
But for the liberal interpretation of  
the law by the Commission, business  
would be paralyzed. Yet this is not  
surprising, for no law ever passed  
Congress with so many men voting  
for it, and yet so many of them who  
could not understand it.

**A Voice From the Parsonage.**  
BROWNWOOD, GA., Dec. 7, 1886.  
The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.  
GENTLEMEN: This past summer  
my wife was away on a two  
month's visit. On her return home  
she had a wretched cold, which,  
growing worse, caused me to call in  
a physician. He attended her sever-  
al weeks without benefitting her.  
She, knowing the splendid effect S. S.  
S. had on me, determined to test  
it in her case. At that time she had  
copious and disagreeable discharges  
from the left nostril. Before the first  
bottle of S. S. S. was used she was  
much better, and a few additional  
bottles set her all right.

It is remarkable that S. S. S. is  
good for colds and sore throats. A  
few months ago, I was troubled oc-  
casionally with my throat from  
preaching. I carried a bottle of  
Swift's Specific with me on the cir-  
cuit. Whenever my throat became  
irritated and annoyed me I would  
take a dose of S. S. S. just before re-  
tiring, and on awaking I would be  
well. REV. JOSEPH G. LANGSTON.  
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eases mailed free. The Swift Spec-  
ific Co., Drawer 3, Atlanta.

**Newspapers in 1887.**  
Geo. P. Rowell & Co. of New York  
will issue on Monday, May 2nd, the  
Nineteenth Annual edition of their  
standard publication, the "American  
Newspaper Directory." The new volume  
contains and exhaustive list of all  
Class Publications so admirably ar-  
ranged that any one of these three  
thousand papers represented there  
can be readily referred to, to get  
all important facts concerning it, to-  
gether with its circulation rating, easily  
obtained.  
The Newspaper Directory will be  
used principally by Publishers, Ad-  
vertisers and Advertising Agents, but  
the vast fund of information it con-  
tains makes it valuable to persons of  
almost every trade and profession.  
As a Gazetteer alone it is well worth  
the price charged, \$5.00, for it fully  
describes every town in which a  
newspaper is issued, and few people  
care to know about any place where  
one is not.

The number of papers published in  
the United States, Territories (in-  
cluding Alaska) and Canada is put at 15,  
420; an increase of 581 in one year.  
The growth of newspapers in some  
of the Western States would be a  
matter of wonder, if it were not that  
this year is no exception to the rule.  
In Kansas the increase is 80 and in  
Nebraska 54; while the Keystone  
State shows a smaller advance of 35  
and the Buckeye State of 30. Penn-  
sylvania exhibits the largest increase  
in dailies, 17; Kansas in weeklies, 81,  
and New York in monthlies, 42.  
Seven States show a decrease. The  
most prominent losses being New  
Hampshire and Virginia, six each.  
The whole volume shows the great  
care has been taken to sustain its rep-  
utation as the most comprehensive  
work of the kind yet published, and  
to insure accuracy in every detail.  
Anything less than a complete com-  
pendium of American newspapers  
and periodicals would surprise those  
who are familiar with the former edi-  
tions of this directory, who are so well  
known as the oldest, largest and best  
known of all the American Advertising  
Agencies.

When you come in and sell your  
tobacco, don't forget to come around  
and invest a couple of dollars in the  
SOUTH KENTUCKIAN, which will fur-  
nish you twice a week with all the  
news.  
**The Birthplace of Abraham.**  
Not far from Aleppo is situated the  
little town of Urfa (the ancient Ur of  
Chaldees), which is of great his-  
torical interest, it having been the  
birthplace of the patriarch Abra-  
ham. There are few Jews in the  
place, but the Arabs still point out a  
small building lying outside the town,  
which they declare to be the house  
wherein Abraham first saw the light,  
and which they therefore term Beit el  
Chail (the house of the friend of God).  
It is most improbable that the actual  
house should have stood for thousands  
of years; but the building in question  
is of great antiquity. By its present  
owner, an Arab peasant, as well as by  
the Arabs generally, it is held in the  
utmost veneration—the more so since  
it is feared that within a few years it  
will fall to the ground.—*Jewish Chronicle*.  
On Tremont street, Boston, was  
noticed a novel arrangement in canine  
decoration the other day. Behind a tall  
man who seemed indifferent to his com-  
pansions trotted two little pugs yoked  
together with a silver-plated yoke.  
Large boules of yellow ribbon decorated  
the collar of each and the pair was as  
ornamental as possible. It was only  
when another dog made his appearance  
that the yoked pugs lost their dignified  
air.—*Boston Globe*.

## INSANE ILLUSIONS

**Illusions and Hallucinations of Melancholia  
and Demented Persons.**  
Hallucinations and illusions of hear-  
ing are most common among the in-  
sane. Voices are most commonly  
heard. In the melancholia these voices  
are of reproach or menace, or voices  
that command him to commit some  
atrocious act. The following is a good  
example of pure hallucinations of  
hearing: A young man had not spoken  
a word for six months, nor performed  
any voluntary act. One day he seized  
a bottle and threw it at the head of an  
attendant. After this he remained  
quiet and immovable and recovered in  
a few months. When asked why he  
had thrown the bottle he said: "Be-  
cause I heard a voice saying: 'Kill  
somebody and you will be delivered.'  
I did not kill the man, therefore my lot  
could not be altered, and I remained  
quiet and immovable. Moreover, the  
said voice repeated without ceasing,  
'Move and you will be dead.' This  
warning was the cause of my immobility."

Hallucinations and illusions of smell  
and taste are not so common as those  
of hearing, and may be of a pleasant or un-  
pleasant nature, depending upon the  
disposition of the person. From these  
often arise the ideas of insane patients  
that they are being compelled to eat  
breathable noxious gases, as chloroform  
or ether, or ideas that they are being  
poisoned by articles introduced into  
their food. Again, to certain of them  
plain hospital fare may seem as the  
ambrosia of gods, and plain, weak  
water as sweet nectar.

With regard to feeling or cutaneous  
sensations and illusions and hallucina-  
tions can not be distinguished from each  
other, as it is impossible often to tell  
whether there is really any abnormal  
sensation or not. The various  
sensations that some experience are  
very disagreeable and some-  
what frightful, as when a person  
thinks that serpents are crawling over  
him, or that frogs have taken lodging  
in his stomach, or that birds are in his  
chest, or a dog in his head. A case  
which illustrates hallucination of sev-  
eral senses is the following: A man was  
retaining home on a midnight night,  
and was somewhat fatigued by his long  
walk. All at once it seemed to him as  
if he saw a great animal like a dragon  
roll out of a ditch by the roadside. He  
became exceedingly afraid, and at the  
same time felt himself painfully  
grasped by the right shoulder by the  
animal; nevertheless he could, as he  
said, free himself by running. Imme-  
diately afterward he fell into a disor-  
der of the lungs which affected his entire  
right lung and he died in a short time.  
The various delusions of the insane,  
whether they are in the form of hallu-  
cinations or illusions, often render  
them exceedingly dangerous to society.  
For instance, a man commanded by  
God to kill his family, or some neigh-  
bor, or to destroy a church, or some  
other object, or to commit some other  
crime, is a dangerous factor to society  
as could be found. A man who thinks  
that some one is sticking him with  
knives every night is very likely to  
seek the person, who he imagines is  
sticking him. A man who thinks some  
one is poisoning him is very liable to  
endeavor to retaliate.

It is a well-known fact that starva-  
tion will induce hallucinations, and  
sight is the sense that is usually  
affected, as is shown by the following  
example: A few years ago several  
timbermen lost their way on the ice of  
Lake Ontario, and were found on a  
little island, from which it was difficult  
to remove them owing to the attractive  
power of a splendid fire, and a warm  
fire which occupied the minds of these  
persons. They had almost reached the  
point of death from cold and starva-  
tion.

Two timbermen were lost in the woods  
in Montana. Both were saved by the  
pluck of one of them, but he experienced  
great difficulty in preventing his  
comrade from starting into the woods,  
supper he claimed, and a man with  
a basket of provisions and a house with  
lights from which proceeded the noise  
of a carousel.—*Pittsburgh Dispatch*.

## THE MILAN SCALA.

Interesting Facts Concerning the Second  
Sacred Opera House in Europe.  
The Scala is situated in the very  
heart of the city, within a stone's  
throw of St. Duomo and not very far  
away from the park. When you look  
at it from the square in front, standing  
near the pedestal of the statue of the  
great Leonardo da Vinci, the Scala is  
a plain, commonplace, uninteresting  
edifice, devoid of lacworklike facings  
or pompous Carrara marble. Its out-  
ward ornament, in fact, is a minia-  
ture arcade built on smooth pilasters  
over the principal doorway. The in-  
terior, however, is quite grandiose and  
superb, with its temple-like pavilion,  
its exquisitely groined roof and artifi-  
cially set galleries. Next to the world-  
renowned theater of Naples, the Scala  
is the largest, open to reception in Italy.  
Its stage is of such immense propor-  
tions that in the recent ballet, "Amor"  
one thousand dancers of both sexes  
performed on its boards in one of the  
most brilliant spectacles in Europe.  
Although it is open to the public  
only a few months every year, its pro-  
prietors make more money annually  
than those of any other similar estab-  
lishment in the world, for the price of  
tickets varies from ten to three hun-  
dred francs, and it rarely happens that  
there is a single seat vacant at any of  
the representations. Big "noises" of  
the aristocratic order and rich bankers  
and bourgeois patronize it night after  
night during the season, and conse-  
quently, although the expenses are  
high, the receipts are far more so, en-  
abling the managing company to com-  
mand the best talent, so far as actors,  
actresses and musical composers are  
concerned, while the stage accessories  
are in all cases of exceptional quality.  
—*Cor. San Francisco Chronicle*.

**Getting Rid of an Accident.**  
Two men who sat together in a train  
between Boston and New York fell  
into conversation. Both were excel-  
lent Americans, but each one fancied  
that he detected in the other's speech a  
foreign accent.  
"How long have you been in Amer-  
ica?" asked one of the other, finally.  
"Twenty years," said the other.  
"Twenty years? Is that possible?"  
"Thirteen years. An' how long, axin'  
your pardon, sorr, are you in the coun-  
try yourself?"  
"It vos fifteen years ago dat I came." "Fifteen years? Mare's the pity!" ex-  
claimed the other. "An' sorra a word  
would I shpake at all, sorr, if, whin I  
was fifteen years in America, I had not  
completely mastered the accent of the  
country!"—*Youth's Companion*.

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TUESDAY, MAY 3, 1887.

THAS. M. MEACHAM - Editor.  
FOR STATE SENATOR, SIXTH DISTRICT.  
ZENO F. YOUNG,  
OF HOPKINS COUNTY.

Thos. A. Edison, the great inventor, had a narrow escape from death by drowning, at Jacksonville, Fla., Friday.

The Louisville Evening Times is now three years old and is one of the best afternoon dailies to be found anywhere.

A servant girl in a Chicago Hotel was stung by a tarantula concealed in a bunch of bananas, Sunday. Her recovery is very doubtful.

They now call it, the "Hinder-State Commerce Law" and there are very few localities where the people have not already had enough of it.

The terrible pleuro-pneumonia has obtained a strong hold on the cattle in Chicago and is steadily spreading despite every effort to stamp it out.

The Arkansas Press Association will make an excursion to Mammoth Cave on the 8th of May. They will take breakfast at Guthrie on Sunday morning, the 8th inst.

It is now published that when the late John E. Blaine was dying at Hot Springs his brother James G. not only failed to visit him, but ignored telegrams notifying him.

Responses from all parts of the country, called out by recent publications concerning the president, show a great preponderance, of feeling in favor of his re-election.

With an army of Louisville police on duty, it was left to lady, who was hunting a hand to do some work, to discover the would-be murderer of Jennie Bowman hiding in a room of an obscure tenement house.

Nelson Smith, col., charged with the murder of J. B. Simmons, died suddenly in the Russellville jail one night last week. There is a mystery surrounding his death, one theory being that he died of fright.

The county convention of Hopkins county nominated Mr. Zeno F. Young for the State Senate and a resolution concurring in said action of Hopkins having been adopted by the Christian county convention, we to-day place his name at the head of our columns as the Democratic nominee.

Mr. Cleveland has been President of the United States 667 days. He has turned rascals out of office, is authoritatively stated, to the number of 70,000. Counting twenty-four hours as a day's labor, he has discharged a rascal for each quarter of an hour he has been in office.—Louisville Times.

Gen. Buckner received instructions in 59 of the 118 counties of the State and has 354 votes besides the 47½ votes he secured in Louisville. He will get the votes of Hopkins and other unrepresented counties and will have enough strength to organize the convention and be nominated without the aid of the "revenue" delegates from Louisville.

President Diaz, at Mexico, and several of his Cabinet Ministers attended a bull fight one night last week. The fight was by the light of electric lamps and the maddened beasts fought with the fury of demons. The fighters were mounted on superb horses and fought bravely but were soon driven from the arena, several of them being disabled and four horses killed. This kind of business is considered rare sport in Mexico, but in this country even prize fighting is prohibited by law.

Scribner's Magazine for May opens with an article on "The Development of the Steamship," by Commander F. E. Chadwick, of the Navy, in which he traces the rise and progress of steam navigation, and describes the developments in naval architecture from the early efforts of Fulton down to the magnificent ocean steamers of the present day. The preparation of such a history, with the thoroughness which marks this article, was made possible by the International Shipping Exhibition, held at Liverpool in 1886, where was gathered an unequalled collection of models and other material illustrating the history of navigation. The article is accompanied by profuse illustrations, several of which are from instantaneous photographs of the finest modern steamships in motion.

The negroes Turner and Patterson, who executed Miss Bowman, were returned to Louisville from Frankfort last week and lodged in jail. On Friday night there were some threatening demonstrations and a mob led by a man named Skaggs made a break for the jail but was stopped and promptly dispersed by the police and the local military companies on guard. About 50 men were arrested and released under bonds of \$200 each. There has been a good deal of noisy talk about a mob since, but there has been no organized effort to get the prisoners from the jail since and there is not likely to be any further trouble. 150 police and 350 soldiers are held in readiness to act on a moment's notice. An effort is being made to prove an alibi for Patterson but the opinion prevails that it will not be successful. Miss Bowman grew much worse Saturday but rallied again Sunday and was still alive yesterday, though her ultimate recovery is still very doubtful.

## KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.

The residence of R. H. Morris, Russellville, was burned.

The large barn and granary of Grundy Veatch, Cynthiana, was burned Tuesday.

The property tax rate in Bowling Green has been fixed at \$1.25 and the poll tax \$1.50.

R. H. Taylor and J. H. Rudy are the Democratic nominees for the Legislature in Davies.

A little 5-year-old daughter of Ezra Jenkins was drowned in a cistern at Henderson, Friday.

The Kentucky State Homoeopathic Medicine Society will meet in Lexington, May 4th and 5th.

Mr. J. M. Kerr, editor of the Jessamine Journal was last week wedded to Miss Irene Scurman, of Ohio.

Mrs. Susan Coleman, an old lady aged 55, suicided at Cynthiana Friday by hanging. Cause not known.

Clabe Prewitt, col., had both arms torn off and his eyes blown out by an explosion near Bardonia, while working on a railroad.

The last lynching in Louisville was when four negroes who murdered the Joyce family were taken from the jail by a mob and hanged 31 years ago.

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## A Mountain Haunting.

J. H. Marcum was hanged Friday at Lousia, Lawrence county, for the murder of his cousin Fisher Marcum in May, 1886. The case was of such doubtful nature that many believed that both the lower and upper courts were wrong in sustaining the charge, and had he not made a confession Thursday of his guilt, many would have believed he died an innocent person. The facts in the case so far as could be gathered during the past years and prior to the confession, are thus summarized by the Courier-Journal: "Fisher Marcum was killed about sundown, and a shot while after that hour James Marcum was sitting in the front pew of a church six miles distant from the scene of the crime, singing and prominently identifying himself in the services of the evening. The people along the way testified they saw him walking leisurely to the church, as he usually went, and the minister also said he recognized him in the congregation, but despite the fact it seemed almost impossible for him to make the trip from the time of the killing to the opening of services, and that no known ill feeling was entertained on the part of either of the cousins toward each other. James Marcum was arrested, tried and convicted on the proof of tracks of his shoes, plainly visible in a light snow, leading directly to his house, and on the bullet extracted from the dead man's body, which, having a peculiar appearance, was discovered to fit the bullet molds of the accused, and to fit no other molds in the country. The confession of his own guilt and the implication of 'Adkins to-day' will set at rest the doubts which disturbed the minds of the Appellate Judges who though they affirmed the judgments of the lower court on the law and facts presented in the appeal still entertained certain misgivings that the alibi was sufficient to entitle Marcum to the consideration of the clemency of the Governor's clemency."

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The Baptist Missionary Circle is in session here. This attendance has been large and there was plenty to eat on the grounds. Owing to the crowd we did not get into the house and so cannot give any report of the proceedings. We would like to notice some of the prominent men present but there were so many that we have not space to spare for them all, and so refrain from naming any. This is our last sheet of paper so we will be compelled to close for the present. More next week.

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## Kentucky Progress.

[Manufacturers' Record.] Ashland.—The Ashland Dry Dock Co., capital stock \$5,000, has been chartered by R. C. Richardson, R. D. Jeffers, J. W. Henderson, John Kobs, J. H. Stewart and W. H. Meinhardt. Ashland.—The Denmark Water Power & Iron Co. has been incorporated by Edwin P. Merritt, Charles H. Merritt and William H. Clarkson. The authorized capital stock is \$200,000.

Augusta.—S. W. McKibben will sink a gas well.

Covington.—John S. Nowotny, John J. McCarty, George P. Quiggin, A. H. Honshehl and L. R. Keck have incorporated the Nowotny Manufacturing Co., capital stock \$5,000, to manufacture and sell an attachment for scrubbing brushes and other novelties.

Ford.—White Bros. of Winchester, will start a brick-yard.

Ford.—A saw mill is being erected by Asher Bros.

Henderson.—A \$200,000 land and improvement company has been organized by S. K. Sneed, Montgomery Merritt, C. L. King, James E. Rankin, J. H. Harding and others.

Lexington.—It is stated that the P. C. Manufacturing Co., of Paterson, N. J., will move their medicine factory to Lexington.

Louisville.—The city council have appropriated \$15,000 to build a school. Owensboro.—B. Driver will start a carriage factory.

Richmond.—A company has been formed to bore for natural gas.

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